

# EVENTS

## CELEBRATES 90TH BIRTHDAY JUNE 5



Tomorrow, Saturday, June 5, "Grandma" Walker is going to have a birthday party, and she has asked The Argus to issue a blanket invitation to all her friends to attend.

"Grandma" Walker is Mrs. Sarah Ann Walker, the "party" will be held at the home of Mrs. Walker's daughter, Mrs. J. H. Park, 1555 Fortieth street. Grandma will be at home all day to tell her friends how it feels to be 94 years old.

Mrs. Walker was born in Bradford county, Pennsylvania, June 5, 1854. She has been a resident of Rock Island for nearly thirty-three years and has watched this city spread from Seventh avenue south to its present limits and from Elm street east to meet Moline.

Despite her great age Mrs. Walker's memory is as clear as that of a woman of 60. She loves to recall her father, a veteran of the war of 1812 and to recount for the benefit of her great grandchildren the stories of the days of the Civil war. Incidentally she has "participated" in four wars. She knitted socks for the soldiers who fought Santa Anna in the Mexican war, wrapped bandages for the wounded in the war of the sections, sent goodies to the disabled soldiers in Cuba in 1898 and knitted a number of sweaters for the Red Cross during the World war.

Mrs. Walker loves best to look back over the industrial development through which her country has passed in her life time. She has seen the march westward from the Mississippi to the Pacific following the gold rush of 1849. There were no railroads to speak of when she was a girl and the marvelous development of America's transportation lines has occurred in her life time. Steamships have supplanted sailing vessels on the sea. The telephone has advanced from a doubtful experiment to a business necessity. Telegraphy, wire and wireless has demolished distance. The electric light has replaced the "dip" candle of the early days just as upholstered Pullmans have supplanted the primitive schooner. The automobile has banished the horse from the streets, in great measure, and the Wright Brothers, with their successors have conquered the air.

John Quincy Adams was president of the United States when Mrs. Walker was born and her recollections cover the administrations of Andrew Jackson, Van Buren, Polk, Taylor, Pierce, Buchanan, Lincoln, Johnson, Grant, Hayes, Garfield, Arthur, Cleveland, Harrison, McKinley, Roosevelt, Taft and Wilson. She takes keen interest in the present political situation and is eagerly awaiting the party nominations to be made at San Francisco and Chicago. She expects this fall to cast her first presidential ballot.

Among the events which Mrs. Walker's memory recalls are the rise and fall of Mormonism, the Blackhawk war, invention of the reaper, the power loom, the discovery of ether as an anesthetic, the Maximilian fiasco in Mexico, the abolition of slavery and of course national prohibition and almost national female suffrage.

She remembers distinctly the assassination of the three martyred American presidents—Lincoln, Garfield and McKinley—and has watched the growth of America from a little country of 17,000,000 of people to the present great republic with its 100,000,000.

Mrs. Walker attributes her long life to the fact that she "always worked hard and minded her own business."

She hopes all her friends will come and see her tomorrow.

room, where the table centerpiece was a vase of roses. Mrs. Arvid Everson will entertain the club June 17 at her home, 1817 Third avenue, Moline.

**All Day Meeting in Milan.**

The Busy Bee Sewing circle of the Rebecca held an all day meeting yesterday at the home of Mrs. Cora Roberts of Milan. The day was spent in sewing on carpet bags and a delicious chicken dinner was served by Mrs. Roberts at noon. Mrs. Joe Johnson will be hostess at the next meeting.

**Mrs. Imhof Hostess.**

Mrs. Imhof of 119 1-3 Third street, Davenport, was hostess yesterday afternoon to the members of the Busy-Bee 500 club, when three tables of the game were played. Miss Sue O'Connor and Mrs. Axel Nielsen took the head prizes. Mrs. Henry Schuman the consolation prize and Mrs. Tom Carney the all-out favor, and after the games a delicious dinner was served by the hostess.

**Mrs. Wendenburg Hostess.**

Mrs. Carl Wendenburg was hostess at the regular meeting of the Rock-Island Social club at her home, 1514 Sixth avenue, yesterday afternoon. There were two tables of the game, Mrs. Art Allen of Moline winning the first prize, Mrs. Bert Fob the second and Mrs. M. J. Johnson the third. The all-around champion of the all-around was Mrs. Wendenburg.

**Trout Sanatorium Patients.**

Patients at the municipal tuberculosis sanatorium were treated this afternoon by a committee from Court of Honor No. 21. Ice cream and cake, fruit and home-made candies were taken to the sanatorium by a committee which included Mrs. Bertha Braun, Mrs. Dora Sawyer, Mrs. Hannah Sward and Mrs. Ellen Zimmerman.

**While Alumnus Breakfast.**

The regular alumnae breakfast, which constitutes a part of the commencement week exercises at the Villa de Chantal, will be given immediately after the mass tomorrow morning at the school. This is in the nature of a reunion for the former students of the school and is complimentary to the graduating class. Sunday morning at 10 o'clock, the alumnae business meeting will be held followed by the dinner at 12 o'clock and a mass party at 5 o'clock.

**Party for Mrs. Botterly.**

Mrs. E. C. Richards entertained at a prettily appointed dinner party yesterday at her home, 524 Fifteenth street, in honor of Mrs. Nettie Botterly, formerly of this city and now of Indianapolis, Ind., who has been visiting in the city as the house guest of Mrs. J. G. Fisher. The guests were 10 in number and the afternoon hours were passed with music and sociability. Garden flowers of several varieties were used in the decorations. Mrs. Faye Hough McCarthy, 3431 Ninth avenue, is entertaining for Mrs. Botterly today.

**Dinner for Miss Williams.**

Miss Ruby Williams and W. H. Mathers, whose marriage is an event of next week, were honored last evening at a small dinner party given for them by Mrs. J. T. Jones at her home, 524 Fifteenth street. A large bowl of pink aspidragons and white roses formed the centerpiece and the pink and white colors were carried out in the favors and in the menu. Miss Williams and Mr. Mathers were presented with a cut glass dish as a party gift. Saturday evening Mrs. J. F. Robinson of 613 Twentieth street, will entertain for Miss Williams.

## Important Aid Meeting.

Mrs. John Brown of 3701 Ninth street was the hostess at the regular meeting of the ladies' aid society of the Roman Catholic church at her home yesterday afternoon. It was the last meeting of the 55th year, and there were about forty-five members present. The ladies planned to pay \$50 on the passage pledge. The next meeting of the society, which will be the annual business meeting and election of officers will be held in the church parlor June 17. The nominating committee is composed of Mrs. James Chaley, Jr., Mrs. Enos Anderson and Mrs. Loren Gregory. Refreshments were served by Mrs. Elva Whitehead, Miss Elizabeth Roseberry, Miss Ella Zahn, Mrs. E. O. Roberts and Mrs. Andrew Olson. The decorations consisted of white roses and pink wiggles.

The second division of the ladies' aid society will hold a meeting Wednesday, June 3, at the home of Mrs. Alexander Quist, 1825 Fourteenth street.

## To Work for Bureau.

A committee meeting of the parent-teacher association union was called yesterday afternoon by James W. Maucker to see about block memberships in the home bureau. Card memberships at \$3 each are to be taken out of the association. A block membership entitles the association to have a home advisor come to the meetings and also entitles the association to five delegates to the bureau meetings, when there are special meetings and special speakers. It was left to the chairman of the association to decide in just what way the new members were to be obtained, and a report is to be given by them June 11. A committee was also appointed to make out a program for the year with Mrs. E. O. Valle as chairman of the committee.

## Picnic At Long View.

A picnic supper was enjoyed by the members of the Deborah class of the Broadway Presbyterian church Thursday evening at Long View park. After a short business session, games were played until dark. The July meeting will be held July 8 at the home of Miss Sarah Barker, 612 Fifth avenue.

## U. and L. Club Entertained.

Mrs. Emma Brown entertained the U. and L. club yesterday afternoon at the home of Mrs. E. B. Kreis, 1212 Twenty-second street. The afternoon was spent in games of 500, and late in the afternoon a delicious luncheon was served. The next meeting will be held at the home of Mrs. Henry Baker, 2508 Sixth avenue, June 17.

## Pic a la Mode Social.

The Forward society of Grace Lutheran church gave a very enjoyable and very successful lawn social on the church lawn last evening. Coffee and pie a la mode were sold and a very entertaining evening was spent by the large crowd attending. The sum of \$20 was cleared.

## Miss Bleuer Honored.

Miss Myra Bleuer, who is to wed Harry Wagner of Davenport on July 12, was the honoree at a pre-nuptial "macellaneous" shower Thursday evening, the affair being given for her by Mrs. Glen DeLeon at her home, 1008 Sixteenth avenue. The guests included 16 girl friends of the bride-elect. The rooms were decorated in the rainbow hues, the colors chosen by Miss Bleuer.

## To Present Play.

The boys of St. Joseph's school gave a program at the school auditorium shortly after Easter. The girls of the school will give their annual program next Tuesday evening. One of the features will be a play, entitled "Joanne of Arc," by a group of the older girls. There will be musical numbers and drills by the younger girls.

## To Give Lawn Social.

The members of the Century Methodist church ladies' aid society will give an ice cream social on the lawn of the church next Thursday evening, June 10, to which friends are invited.

## Initiate Candidates.

A class of six candidates was initiated at the regular meeting of Helen Gould auxiliary held Thursday evening in Memorial hall. There were visitors from Moline and Davenport.

Next week is the convention in Galena, and plans were discussed for sending a large delegation from here to leave on Wednesday night. There probably will be 20 in the crowd. Ice cream and cake were served to the members and the committee who joined the auxiliary for the social hour.

## Tri-City Ladies Guests at Tea.

Two hundred tri-city ladies are being entertained this afternoon from 3 to 6 o'clock at an afternoon tea given at the Waterman home, 616 Kirkwood boulevard, Davenport, by Mrs. Charles M. Waterman and her daughter, Miss Helen, as a courtesy for Mrs. Charles Dana Waterman, nee Miss Elizabeth Allen of Davenport, a bride of April 21. The south music room is being used for receiving the guests. Mrs. William Allen, mother of the bride, assisting in receiving the guests. Garden iris, wiggles and columbines are used about the rooms and in the dining room Aaron Ward roses are used on the table, a large silver basket forming the centerpiece and smaller baskets being used at the ends. Assisting the hostesses about the rooms are Mesdames J. A. Crawford, C. A. Fick, Joe R. Lane, Ferdinand Math, Robert C. Fick, Cable Von Maur, C. N. Cochran, W. T. Waterman, DeVore Simonson of Rock Island and Theodore Brown of Moline and Miss Elizabeth Putnam and Miss Jennie Toole.

## Lady Elks.

The Lady Elks held their regular business meeting yesterday afternoon followed by a social session. There were six tables of five hundred, the prizes falling to Mrs. J. K. Scott and to Mrs. Otto Juhl. Refreshments were served by a committee composed of Mesdames Thomas Casey, Hough, Burton and Musfeldt. At the business session, the ladies decided to entertain all the new members in the club rooms June 17. Wives, mothers, sisters and unmarried daughters of Elks are eligible.

## Mission Society Meets.

The members of the Woman's Foreign Missionary society of the First Methodist church met Thursday afternoon at the home of Mrs. George Ackley, 847 Twenty-first street, with good attendance. There was no special business yesterday, and the greater part of the

marriage of Miss Josephine Stechmann, daughter of Mrs. Anna D. Stechmann, of 1533 West High street, Davenport, and Clifford G. Carlson, son of Mr. and Mrs. George Carlson of 3004 Thirtieth street, Moline, took place yesterday afternoon at 3 o'clock at the home of Rev. J. T. Dodds, 1713 Sixteenth street, Davenport. The attendants were Miss Lucinda Stechmann, sister of the bride, and Paul Carlson, brother of the groom. The bride wore a blue suit with a flesh colored blouse, and hat to match. Her flowers were sweetpeas, in corsage arrangement. Miss Lucinda Stechmann wore a gown of blue georgette with a hat to match, and a bouquet of sweetpeas. A wedding luncheon was served at the groom's home, 2005 Thirtieth street, Moline. Mr. and Mrs. Carlson left on a short trip and will be at home after June 18, at a new home on Sixteenth street and Seventeenth avenue, Moline.

## Social Is Success.

The young people's society of the Evangelical Church of Peace have reason to be exceedingly jubilant over the success of the pie social which the society sponsored at the church yesterday afternoon and evening. During the afternoon pie and coffee were sold, and in the evening a very entertaining program was given, including numbers by the young people's orchestra, and a short comedy given by one of the Sunday school classes. There was a large crowd both afternoon and evening and the young people expect to clear about \$40 or \$50.

## Women's Summer Frocks—Second Floor.

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# The New Summer Frocks

Like a garden of flowers, row upon row of new frocks have arrived, each rivalling the next in beauty of coloring and daintiness.

There are soft voiles in misty designs, smart with crisp organdy collars and cuffs, sheer organdies in pastel shades flaunting flutes and frills. Fine ginghams in attractive patterns of serviceable fabrics. Linens in plain, simple styles, light shades of georgette, tricollette and wool jersey in elaborate effects.



**Two-piece Wool Jersey Sport Dresses at \$42.50 and \$65.00**

At \$65 the style is an overskirt effect with cream skirt and silk embroidered overblouse in orchid shade. Four white silk cords form the belt and tie at the side.

At \$42.50 an attractive two-piece dress is shown in light blue wool jersey. Narrow belt of soft material, tie in front. White silk embroidery stitching on cuffs, collar and bottom of blouse.

## Linen Frocks at \$12.50 to \$32.50

Simple well tailored models of linen in shades of flesh, blue, pink, rose, green and lavender. Plaits and embroidered effects are featured.

## Organdy Frocks at \$25.00 \$27.50 \$30.00 \$32.50 and up to \$39.50

Crisp organdy frocks in shades of light blue, pink, orchid yellow and white. Frills and plaits take a very prominent part in their make.

## Voile Frocks at \$8.95, \$11.50, \$12.50, \$15 and up to \$32.50

Assortments are large among this splendid showing of new voile frocks. Plain, printed and embroidered voiles in wide range of styles and patterns.

## Gingham Frocks at \$7.50, \$8.50, \$16.50, \$18.95, \$19.95

Serviceable and attractive gingham frocks in plaids, checks, stripes and plain fabrics. Frocks adaptable for porch, street or afternoon wear. Regular and stylish stout sizes.

## Georgette Frocks at \$25.00, \$27.50, \$30.00 and up to \$59.50

Fine georgette frocks in pastel tints, showing orchid, blue, salmon pink, flesh and white. Ribbons, beads, embroidery are used in very elaborate effects. Here are frocks desired most for the summer social occasions.

## Flesh and White Tricollette Frocks at \$39.50

Sport models tricollette frocks in evening effect. Elaborately trimmed with silk braid of self color.

## Two-piece Tricollette Sports Dresses at \$65.00

Two styles are featured, both have plain white tricollette blouses with collar and cuffs trimmed of plaid and check tricollette of which the skirts are fashioned.



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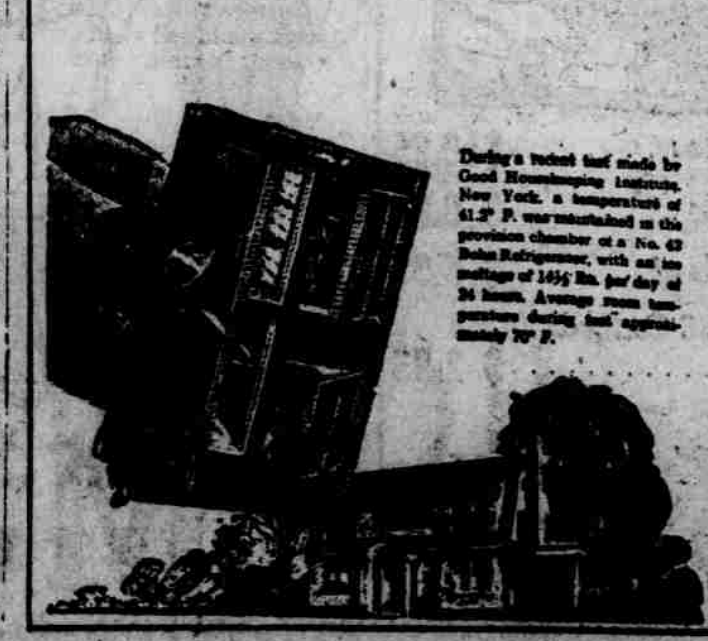
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